GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

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Funds for Rail Line Project
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Railways propose to provide any funds for the broad gauge railway line between Ahmedabad and Jaipur rail route;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the time by which the said rail route would become operational?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI MANOJ SINHA)

(a) & (b): On Ahmedabad-Jaipur route, broad gauge line already exists. However, gauge conversion of Ahmedabad-Mehsana (70 Km) Meter Gauge (MG) Line running parallel to existing Broad Gauge (BG) line has been sanctioned in the Budget 2015-16 at an anticipated cost of ` 420 crore, with an outlay of ` 50 crore subject to requisite approval.

(c): Since this project is in approval stage, no time frame has been fixed for completion of this project.

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